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SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE EIGHTH SATURDAY IN 1947.

(22ND FEBRUARY 1947).

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 22nd February 1947

District and Station	This week	Last 85 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1947: This year	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1947: Average of past 85 years	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1947: Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·33
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk ...	0 06	00 13	00 47	−0 34	
Hoskote	0 04	00 30	00 33	−0 03	
Dodballapur	0 07	00 00	00 47	−0 47	
Nelamangala	0 06	00 27	00 28	−0 01	
Kankanhalli	0 01	00 00	00 31	−0 31	
Magadi	0 10	00 00	00 47	−0 47	
Channapatna	0 03	00 30	00 39	−0 09	
Anekal	0 03	00 00	00 52	−0 52	
Devanhalli	0 02	00 00	00 43	−0 43	
Closepet	0 01	00 00	00 33	−0 33	
District Average	0 04	00 10	00 40	−0 30	
KOLAR.					
Kolar	0 04	00 17	00 62	−0 45	
Bowringpet	0 07	00 13	00 64	−0 51	
Chintamani	0 05	00 67	00 41	+0 23	
Mulbagal	0 10	00 48	00 83	−0 35	
Sidlaghatta	0 11	00 19	00 59	−0 40	
Chikballapur	0 11	00 11	00 71	−0 60	
Bagepalli	0 01	00 27	00 30	−0 03	
Goribidnur	0 06	00 00	00 37	−0 37	
Malur	0 02	00 85	00 53	−0 32	
Srinivaspur	0 05	00 00	00 67	−0 67	
Gudibanda	0 02	00 10	00 50	−0 40	
District Average	0 06	00 27	00 56	−0 29	
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur	0 32	02 40	00 63	1 77	
Madhugiri	0 16	00 00	00 65	−0 65	
Chiknaikanhalli	0 11	01 61	00 56	1 06	
Sira	0 06	01 16	00 56	0 60	
Gubbi	0 15	00 66	00 53	0 23	
Tiptur	0 04	00 87	00 34	0 03	
Pavagada	0 08	00 24	00 62	−0 38	
Kunigal	0 10	00 00	00 37	−0 37	
Kortagere	0 13	00 17	00 54	−0 37	
Turuvekere	0 07	00 44	00 41	−0 03	
District Average	0 12	00 70	00 52	+0 18	
MYSORE					
Mysore	0 07	00 07	00 39	−0 32	
Chamarajnagar	0 06	02 15	00 39	1 76	
Hunsur	0 00	00 00	00 32	−0 32	
Krishnarajnagar	0 05	00 00	00 32	−0 32	
Heggaddevankote	0 06	00 00	00 46	−0 46	
Gundlupet	0 03	00 00	00 50	−0 50	
Nanjangud	0 06	00 00	00 53	−0 53	
T.-Narsipur	0 14	00 49	00 45	0 04	
Periyapatna	0 03	00 00	00 46	−0 46	
District Average	0 05	00 30	00 42	−0 12	

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 22nd February 1947—concld.

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya	0 04	00 77	00 41	0 36	
Seringapatam	0 04	00 43	00 38	0 05	
Malvalli	0 05	02 73	00 25	2 48	
Krishnarajpet	0 01	00 08	00 27	−0 19	
Nagamangala	0 05	00 80	00 34	0 46	
Maddur	0 01	00 13	00 30	−0 17	
French-Rocks	0 05	00 96	00 36	0 60	
District Average	0 04	00 84	00 33	0 51	
HASSAN.					
Hassan	0 05	00 23	00 37	−0 14	
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 03	01 00	00 29	0 71	
Arkalgud	0 05	00 65	00 48	0 17	
Belur	0 05	00 62	00 37	0 25	
Channarayapatna	0 02	00 35	00 21	0 14	
Arsikere	0 03	00 10	00 34	−0 24	
Hole-Narsipur	0 06	01 22	00 29	0 93	
Alur	0 00	00 10	00 35	−0 00	
District Average	0 04	00 53	00 33	+0 20	
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga	0 02	00 00	00 23	−0 23	
Channagiri	0 00	01 40	00 20	1 20	
Honnali	0 07	00 00	00 39	−0 39	
Shikarpur	0 00	00 27	00 13	0 14	
Sorab	0 00	00 00	00 15	−0 15	
Sagar	0 00	00 00	00 22	−0 22	
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0 00	00 00	00 17	−0 17	
Tirthahalli	0 00	01 10	00 22	0 88	
Kumsi	0 00	00 35	00 15	0 20	
District Average	0 01	00 35	00 21	+0 14	
KADUR.					
Chikmagalur	0 14	00 00	00 51	−0 51	
Kadur	0 02	00 89	00 31	0 08	
Tarikere	0 00	00 30	00 31	−0 01	
Koppa	0 04	00 00	00 40	−0 40	
Mudgere	0 05	00 00	00 32	−0 32	
Narasimharajpura	0 01	00 00	00 19	−0 19	
Sringeri	0 00	00 00	00 24	−0 24	
District Average	0 03	00 09	00 32	−0 28	
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug	0 72	0 10	01 15	00 41	+0 74
Challakere	0 00	0 04	00 95	00 37	0 58
Hiriyur	0 00	0 06	01 55	00 25	1 30
Holalkere	1 08	0 09	00 07	00 33	4 74
Davangere	0 00	0 00	00 90	00 21	0 69
Molakalmuru	0 03	0 05	00 09	00 36	−0 27
Jagalur	0 20	0 02	00 50	00 48	0 02
Hosdurga	0 00	0 01	00 35	00 28	0 67
Harihar	0 00	0 04	01 80	00 25	1 55
District Average	0 02	0 00	01 37	00 32	+0 05
Provincial Average	0 02	0 05	00 50	00 38	+0

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 8TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 22ND FEBRUARY 1947.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	7·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	12·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	7·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·0	3·8	7·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	13·0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	7·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	12·0
	Kulthi ...	2·0	2·0	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	6·0
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	10·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	9·0
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	10·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	4·8
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	9·0
	Kulthi ...	1·12	1·12	0·6
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sor ...	3·8	3·8	7·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	9·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	5·0
Shimoga.	Rice, 2nd sor ...	3·8	3·8	6·42
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	14·47
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	10·19
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	--
Kadur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·12	3·12	8·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·8	2·8	10·0
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	6·0
Chital-drug	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·12	2·12	14·0
	Cholum ...	6·0	6·0	15·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	7·0

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Generally well supplied.

9. Harvesting of ragi and paddy is reported to be in progress in almost all the Taluks.

Summer paddy is reported to be sown in Hoskote and Dodballapur Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair in all the taluks.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

12. *Public Health.*— Preventive measures have been adopted to check the spread of infection of plague reported to have been prevailing in Closepet Taluk.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied through Government Depots.

9. Green manure is being carted to wet fields in some parts of the district.

Seeds sown.—Paddy.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, ragi, avare, thogari and horsegram.

Standing crops.—Paddy.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be in good health except for "Anthrax" at Pathandahalli Village in Mulbagal Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

Public health is generally good except for plague at Rajendrahalli, Gudipalli, Guudlahalli, Koladevi majara, Hosahalli and Mandikar Villages of Mulbagal Taluk and Jodi Thattahalli Village in Sidlaghatta Taluk. Rat fall is reported in Palyakere Village in Bagepalli Taluk. The Department of Public Health is taking preventive action. Labour is available to cooly classes.

TUMKUR.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks.

Standing crops —Sugarcane, greengram in Tumkur Taluk; Paddy in Madhugiri Taluk; paddy in Chiknaikanhalli Taluk; paddy, thogari, sugarcane, jola and bengalgram in Sira Taluk; sugarcane in Gubbi Taluk; bengalgram, paddy in Tiptur Taluk; paddy in Pavagada Taluk; sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in Kortagere Taluk; sugarcane in Turuvekere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Groundnut, horsegram, paddy in Tumkur Taluk; sugarcane in Madhugiri Taluk; ragi, thogari and avare in Sira Taluk; avare, thogari, paddy in Gubbi Taluk; huruli, hutchellu, avare, thogari, haraka in Tiptur Taluk; horsegram, groundnut, sugarcane in Pavagada Taluk; paddy in Kunigal Taluk; except sugarcane other crops are being harvested.

10. Fair in general.

11. Plague is prevailing in Chiknaikanhalli, Huliyar and in many parts of the taluk, a few cases in Gubbi, in Pavagada and in some villages of the Taluk. People have evacuated those villages. Preventive measures are being taken to check the spread of the infection and it is being brought under control. In Kunigal Town and in some villages of the Taluk plague is prevailing.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Normally well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.— Paddy, castor, bengalgram, thogari, sugarcane, mulberry and tobacco.

Crops harvested.— It is reported that paddy and ragi are being harvested in the Taluks of Chamarajanagar Krishnarajnagar and Gundlupet; and sugarcane in the Taluks of Chamarajnagar and T.-Narsipur is being harvested.

10. (1) Good. (2) Nil. (3) Nil. (4) None under relief. (5) Sufficient quantities of foodgrains are available throughout the district

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available in all parts of the district.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Sugarcane in Irwin Canal Area is reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane in the Irwin Canal Area.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Sufficient foodgrains were available. No relief works were started. Fodder and water were available in sufficient quantities.

11. The condition of the agricultural stock was good. The public health was generally good except for plague in Kodiyala in Srirangapatam Taluk, Halagur in Malvalli Taluk, Jaginakere and Sindaghatta in Krishnarajpet Taluk and Kyathanahalli in French-Rocks Taluk; and small-pox in Byadarahalli village in Malvalli Taluk. Action is being taken to check the spread of the epidemics. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. Rice and ragi are being distributed from Government, Co-operative and Village Panchayet Depots.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.— Sugarcane in Hassan, Belur, Channaravapatna and Alur Taluks; and bengalgram in Belur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and ragi in all the taluks; and bengalgram, avare and coriander in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being harvested; and sugarcane is being milled in Hassan, Belur and Alur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

Cattle are reported to be healthy.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sugarcane is being planted in Shimoga Taluk and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is reported to be in good condition in all taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane is being crushed in all taluks. Paddy in Shimoga, Sagar and Thirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Ragi and jola in Chennagiri Taluk and Ragi and Horsegram in Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair in all the taluks. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Foodgrains are available in all parts of the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district. Fodder and water are available in all taluks.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugarcane, avare and bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; summer jola, bengalgram and wheat in Kadur Taluk are the standing crops.

Crops harvested.—Thrashing of paddy and crushing of sugarcane are going on in the district.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good in the taluks except for the prevalence of small-pox in Hosur village, Harihirapura Hobli, Koppa Taluk.

Preventive measures are being adopted to check the spread of the disease.

Labour is available and the condition of the labour classes is satisfactory.

10. The seasonal conditions are fair.

11 Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in the district.

Fodder and water are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to have been well supplied.

9. *Sowing.*— Nil

Standing Crops.— Paddy in Chitaldrug, Challakere, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga; bengalgram in Chitaldrug and Challakere; cotton in Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Davangere and Haribar Taluks;

jola in Chellakere taluk; bilijola in Harihar taluk; wheat in Chellakere Taluk are reported to be in good condition. Bilijola and bengalgram is slightly damaged owing to recent rain in Holalkere taluk and also in Hiriyur Taluk.

Harvest.—Paddy in Molakalmuru and Hiriyur Taluks; ragi and other millets in Hosdurga Taluk is reported to have been harvested.

10 Relief works started are in progress. Coolies find sufficient labour. Separate special report is being submitted to Government and the Revenue Commissioner.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE 7TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 22ND FEBRUARY 1947.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas: Rice, 2nd sort Srs. Chs.	Ragi Srs. Chs.	Horse-gram Srs. Chs.	Bengal-gram Srs. Chs.
Bangalore	Bangalore North ...	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Bangalore South ...				
	Hoskote ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Dodballapur ...	3 8	6 0	2 0	1 0
	Nelamangala ...	3 0	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Kankanhalli ...	3 8	6 0	..	2 8
	Magadi ...	3 8	6 0	4 4	2 4
	Channapatna ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Anekal ...	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Devanhalli ...	3 0	6 0	2 0	2 0
	Closepet ...	3 0	6 0	2 0	1 12
Kolar	Kolar ...	2 12	6 0	2 4	...
	Bowringpet ...	3 0	6 0	2 4	...
	Chintamani ...	3 0	6 0	2 4	...
	Mulbagal ...	3 0	6 0	2 4	...
	Sidlaghatta ...	3 0	6 0	2 4	...
	Chikballapur ...	3 0	6 0	2 4	...
	Bagepalli ...	3 0	6 0	3 4	...
	Goribidnur ...	3 0	6 0	2 12	...
	Malur ...	3 0	6 0	2 12	...
	Srinivaspur ...	3 0	6 0	2 12	...
	Gudibanda ...	3 0	6 0	2 12	..
Tumkur	Tumkur ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Madhugiri ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Sira ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Gubbi ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Tiptur ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Pavagada ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Kunigal ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Koratagere ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Turuvekere ...	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
Mysore	Mysore ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Chamarajnagar ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Hunsur ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Krishnarajnagar ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Heggaddevankote ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Gundlupet ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Nanjangud ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	T-Narsipur ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Periyapatna ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
Mandya	Mandya ...	3 8	6 0	1 12	2 4
	Seringapatam ...	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 4
	Malvalli ...	3 8	6 0	1 12	2 4
	Krishnarajpet ...	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 4
	Nagamangala ...	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 4
	Maddur ...	3 8	6 0	1 12	2 4
	French-Rocks ...	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 4
Hassan	Hassan ...	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Manjarabad ...	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Arkalgud ...	3 12	6 0	3 0	2 4
	Belur ...	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Channarayapatna ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	2 4
	Arsikere ...	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Hole-Narsipur ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	2 4
	Alur ...	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
Shimoga	Shimoga ...	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Channagiri ...	3 8	6 4	2 0	2 0
	Honnali ...	3 8	6 4	3 0	1 8
	Shikarpur ...	3 12	6 0	2 0	2 8
	Sorab ...	3 12	6 0	3 0	2 0
	Sagar ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	3 0
	Nagar ...	3 12	6 0	3 0	2 0
	Tirthahalli ...	3 12	6 0	2 0	...
	Kumsi ...	3 12	6 0	2 4	1 8
Kadur	Chikmagalur ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 8
	Kadur ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Tarikere ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 8
	Koppa ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Mudgere ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Narasimharajapura ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 0
	Sringeri ...	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 0
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Challakere ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Hiriyur ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Holalkere ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Davangere ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Molakalmuru ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Jagalur ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Hosdurga ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Harihar ...	3 8	6 0	2 12	...

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

Dated Bangalore 25th February 1947.

S. NARAYANA RAO
Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 20TH FEBRUARY 1947.

A total of 52 attacks with 33 deaths from Plague was returned from 21 villages in 2) taluks in 6 districts during the week against 50 attacks with 25 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported 3 attacks with nil death and 1 attack with 1 death respectively while Kolar Gold Field area remained free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1946 and 1945 were 69 attacks with 38 deaths and 275 attacks with 131 deaths, respectively. The Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, reported 2 attacks with 3 deaths from plague.

A total of 30 attacks with 7 deaths from Small-pox were reported from Malvalli, Gundlupet, Tumkur, Harihar, Shimoga, Chitaldrug and Kumsi Taluks.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 125 (35 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 21·9 (15·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 32·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 4 under Malaria, 6 under Other Fevers, 32 under Phthisis, 21 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 62 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 81 deaths (21 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 24·2 (17·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 42·2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Plague 3, Malaria 1, Broncho Pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 3, Phthisis 8, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 15 and All Other Causes 49.

The total mortality for Mysore City for 6 days was 79 (20 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 27·1 (20·2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 7·8 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Plague 1, Malaria 5, Other Fevers 5, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 7, and All Other Causes 57. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 25 deaths (2 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 7·9 (7·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 12·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 2 under Other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 4 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 17 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very low.

6311 E. R. SUNDARARAJAN, For *Director*.